TUESDAY AFTERNOON, JULY 1.

**Fo THE PUBLIC.—From the 1st day of July, 1851, the postage on the Daily American Telegraph, Washington city, D. C., will be, per quarter in advance, as follows:—Fifty miles or under, 25 cents; over fifty and not over three hundred, 50 cents; over three hundred and not exceeding one thousand, 75 cents, &c. Any person wishing to be served for three months after the above date need only pay his quarter's postage, and send us a gold dollar and a silver quarter in a small letter—postage paid, of course; or five dollars for a year. The Telegraph is independent in politics, polite, moral, agreeable, and familiar, prompt in furnishing the news, and a terror to all evil docre.

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Editors of weekly and other papers desirous to exchange with us can pay the difference in the prices of subscription by giving a few insertions to the above notice.

[Washington, May 27, 1861.

For telegraphic reports and correspondence, see third page.

THE NEW POSTAGE RATES .- Some doubt being expressed as to what are the rates of postage to California and Oregon, we have made inquiry at the Post Office Department, and are authorized to state that the single rate is six cents. prepaid, or ten cents, unpaid : being just double the rates applicable to the Atlantic States, the distance exceeding three thousand miles.

But to Chagres and Panama, (foreign) on the line to California, the single rate is ten or twenty cents, according to distance, from any point in the United States,-that is, ten cents where the distance is not over two thousand five tance from the mailing office exceeds two thousand five hundred miles.

The single rate to Bremen (by the Breme line) from any point in the United States, including California and Oregon, is twenty cents. Under the old law, the rates on letters to Bremen varied according to distance; but now there is a uniform rate of twenty cents on letters, and two cents on newspapers, when sent by the Bremen line.

THE DEPARTMENTS AT WASHINGTON.

We yesterday promised our readers some strictures upon the present organization of the several Departments of the General Government. The importance of discussing this subject in order to elicit all the information upon it that may in anywise tend to bring about a salutary reform, through the medium of legislative action, during the next session of Congress, is indeed imperious in view of the action proposed in Senator Hunter's resolution, introduced near the close of the last session.

That under the auspices of the present system the public service is retarded, the greatest injustice done to individuals, through caprice or favoritism, and the avocation itself brought into disrepute, are facts so lamentably obvious that none can deny their existence.

A system so objectionable, so untenable, so injurious to the public interest, cries aloud for reform. It is not our design in the present article to enter into the details of the question, but to merely introduce the subject, and leave the investigation for subsequent numbers; and in that investigation we propose pointing out existing defects, and to propose what we cenceive to be proper remedies for the evils.

We find no fault with any one in particular we wage no war against individuals; but deal with the workings of an organization that denies merit to be its standard, and makes position in the offices of the departments to depend upon favoritism within, and personal and political influence from without.

The patronage of the General Government belongs to the people: not to a political party, and still less to the heads of Departments and bureaux, in their individual, personal capacity. Hence, the good of the Government, and not political and personal considerations, should be consulted in dispensing that patronage. The competent, the deserving only, should be appointed to office, and continued therein; and Old Fogies and First Families should have all but no more. For the latter to support all the dignity and receive the largest salaries, while the industrious, faithful, competent clerks do the labor and receive the smallest, comports as little with the first principles of justice as with the doctrines of equality and republicanism.

THE CORNER-STONE .- It is formally announce through the Intelligencer of this morning, that the President of the United States, through the Marshal of the District of Columbia, yesterday extended an invitation to the Masonic Frater nity to assist in the ceremonies of laying the corner-stone at the Capitol, on the approaching Fourth of July; and that B. B. French, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Order, has accepted the invitation.

The Intelligencer adds, as worthy of note in connexion with the subject, that "in 1793 President WASHINGTON, in the combined ca-' pacity of President of the United States and Presiding Officer of the Ancient Order, laid ' the corner-stone of the present Capitol edifice;" 'and that "the apron worn by the illustrious 'Chief on that occasion, and the gavel which 'he so happily used, will be again brought 'into requisition in the performance of the ' mystic observances.'

' formance of the part which the usages of the 'Order impose upon him, will, we learn, wear the same apron which Washington wore, and papers received by late arrivals. ' make use of the same gavel which Washington 'made use of, more than half a century ago, when the Father of his Country, in the capacity of Grand Master, laid the corner-stone of the "Capitol."

The following resolutions were yesterday passed by the City Councils:

Resolved, That the Mayor and the two Boards and officers, and officers of the Corporation, will

Resolved, That the Mayor and two members from each Ward be a committee to make arrangements for carrying into effect the forego-ing resolution, on which committee shall be the Presidents of the respective Boards.

CRIMINAL COURT .- The case of the United States vs. William Douglas, for an assault and battery upon John Pettibone, was to-day submitted to the Court without a trial, and a fine of ten dollars, with costs, was imposed upon the accused. Ratcliffe, for the defendant.

In the case of the United States vs. Patrick Murphy, for larceny, the jury had retired but Court-room. Ennis and Laskey, for the accused. is comparatively light.

WORDS IN SEASON, AND FITLY SPOKEN .- The following communication was handed us this morning by one in whose sincerity we confide, and whose kind and just motives are apparent: BUSINESS MEN .- Messra. Editors: I wish to invite the attention of business men in Washington to the Telegraph as an advertising medium. As a "Dally Advertiser" of business operations and business events, it evidently has superior advantages. It is very extensively read, and with the greatest interest, from its presenting matters and things of daily occur-rence directly in our midst. It can also speak, and does speak, of the special advantages of different establishments in this city for the various accommodations offered by them; whether merchants, mechanics, or other business classes It is evidently becoming daily more the favorite visiter in families here, and is hence looked to for information immediately affecting the interests of all classes, especially for opportunities for supplying our daily wants.

I express these views from actual experience, realizing daily in my business, from presenting it to the public through the *Telegraph*, much more than the cost of advertising, for which I avail myself of the liberal conditions by the year. By making this the common advertising sheet of the city, all classes, both buyers and sellers, will reap advantages still greater than those now realized by
A Washington Merchant.

A short time since a gentleman said to a merchant on the Avenue, "I wonder you do not manifest an interest in the welfare of the Telehundred miles, and twenty cents where the dis- graph, for its success cannot but prove beneficial to your business, and that of merchants generally in Washington." The reply was: We have given some attention to the subject, and made inquiry of persons acquainted with the newspaper business, and have been assured that the Telegraph cannot live, and therefore a number of us have determined not to patronise it. It s, moreover," he added, "too much wedded to the interests of working-men and such like radicalism to suit our views."

Although we are very grateful to those who have so liberally favored us, we can assure this gentleman and the "number" united with him. firstly, that, recognising his rights to the full extent, we have no unkind feelings toward him; and, secondly, as he is no doubt by this time convinced, his advisers were in error, and our vitality will continue, even in defiance of the combined influence he betraved. The "number" of those he named must be very small. however, among the merchants of Washington. They are too sharp, and no disdainers of hard hands that carry bright dollars in their palms!

POLICE MAGISTRATES .- The City Councils, in oint meeting, yesterday evening elected the following Justices of the Peace as Police Magistrates of the city of Washington for the year commencing July 1, 1851.

Samuel Drury, esq., First District. John D. Clark, esq., Second District. B. K. Mossell, esq., Fourth District. W. Thompson, esq., Fifth District. James Crandell, esq. Sixth District. Craven Ashford, esq., Seventh District.

The election for the Third District Police Magistrate was postponed. This, we believe, was in consequence of the present inability of J. L. Smith, esq., to remove his dwelling into the Ward, as required by the recent law.

We are pleased to observe that the Councils have made a move towards procuring a more suitable watch-house than the present.

John Davis was nominated and confirmed, in addition to Messrs. Burr and Martin, as a police officer of the Fourth Ward; and the nomination of G. T. McGlue, as scavenger of the First Ward, was rejected.

SALE OF CITY REAL ESTATE .- Mr. A. Green. uctioneer, (by J. C. Green,) sold on Saturday afternoon last the following property, to wit: Lot No. 6, in square 537, fronting 20 feet 4 in. on Four-and-a-half street, containing 1,708 square feet, sold to Mr. McComb for 9 cents per foot; lot No. 7, fronting the same, containing 2,276 feet 66 inches, sold to the same purchaser the deference shown them that they deserve for 71 cents; lot No. 8, fronting same, containing 2276.66 feet, sold to John Dolton at 74 cts.; lot No. 9, fronting same, containing 2276.66 feet, sold to the same purchaser for 71 cts.; lot No. 18, fronting 24 feet, containing 3642.66 feet, sold to W. S. Wright, for 84 cents.

> There were a great many persons present, and good and spirited bidding, but the sale was arrested by the approach of night before more of the lots advertised could be sold. The remainder will shortly be offered.

> THAT LOST WATCH. - We yesterday advertised lady's gold watch, which was lost in the streets on Sunday. Withing an hour after the issue of the Telegraph it was brought to our office by a youth, to whom we paid the reward of five dollars. Had it fallen into the hands of a dishonest person he would have realized ten or twenty times that sum by it. The owner will please call or send for it, and then procure a better guard, or, what is the next best thing, be prompt to advertise in the Telegraph when she next loses

We are indebted to the courtesy of J. S. Cun-NINGHAM, esq., Commissioner for the State of Virginia, for a copy of the "Official Catalogue of the Great Exhibition," London; and to S. M. Shoemaker, esq., through whose politeness The Republic remarks on this subject, that it has been transmitted to us by Edwards, San-"the Grand Master, Mr. French, in the per- ford & Co.'s Transatlantic Express, and Adams & Co.'s Express. We presume we are indebted to the same gentlemen for copies of English

MR. TURNER'S CONCERT .- Messrs. Editors : The most recherche affair I have enjoyed since the days of Jenny Lind and Belletti was the vocal concert of Mr. Turner last evening at Carusi's. The inclemency of the weather doubtless deterred many from attending, yet the discriminating audience present were completely carried away by the thrilling pathos and smooth attend the laying of the corner-stone of the ex-tension of the Capitol on the Fourth of July their admiration by the most enthusiastic and melody of the singer's rich voice, and manifested rapturous applause. I venture to predict for this young vocalist the proudest trophies ever achieved upon the lyric boards. This is but a just tribute to the best singer of the day; and being unsolicited, unexpected, and spontaneous, and also from a stranger, it will not be considered fulsome. MISSISSIPPI.

Mr. Corwin .- We regret to learn, from the Cincinnati Chronicle of Friday last, that the Secretary of the Treasury is now confined to his room, at his home, in Lebanon, Ohio, by an attack of chills and fever. He was taken sick immediately after his arrival there. The Chronnot returned with a verdict when we left the icle understands, however, that his indisposition

THE TEMPERANCE STONE .- We learn that letthem presented to the Monument Association would be placed upon the cars at Philadelphia to press. to-day. The deputation from the Grand Division, to the number, we believe, of sixty or seventy, will arrive here on Thursday evening. A collation will be given at Temperance Hall on the Fourth.

MR. TURNER'S CONCERTS .- The lowering clouds, the lightning's flash, and the pattering rain were not inviting to pedestrians last evening; yet Mr. Turner had a company of from one to two hundred out to hear him, and they were perfectly enraptured. He went far ahead of any thing they had anticipated, and seemed equally to astonish and delight his hearers. His praises to-day are everywhere sounded, and they who heard him appear exceedingly anxious that others should share their admiration and delight. We trust all lovers of the pure and simple ballad will attend this evening.

SANDFORD'S NEW ORLEANS OPERA TROUPE will sing to-night as they only can sing, and Odd-Fellows' Hall will be open to receive the

WILLIE P. MANGUM, jr., (nephew of the Senator,) of North Carolina, to-day took the oath of office before Judge Crawford, and entered upon his duties as a clerk in the Census office.

COURT-MARTIAL .- We looked in this morning to observe the slow progress made by a grea body. Captain Maynadier, Mr. Barton, of Fredericksburg, and the Secretary of War, have to-day occupied the witness's seat.

LAURELS .- The Southern Press of this morn ing says :

"It is obvious that in a war of thirty States against one, no laurels could be won, and laurels might be lost."

Laurels have been lost without the war; and the threateners of secession and disunion will leave a legacy to their children for which no gratitude will ever be returned.

A VICTIM.—Under this head we yesterday spoke of a man who had been taken up apparently in a fit. He died in an hour or two afterwards. The Republic of this morning describes him as follows:

The name of the deceased could not be ascer. tained. He wore a brown linen frock coat, red flannel undershirt, and a white cotton plaited overshirt, blue striped cassinet pantaloons, blue cotton stockings and slippers. Seven dollars and fifty cents were found in his pocket, includ-ing a \$5 bill on the Farmers' and Drovers' Bank of Wayne county, Pa. There were also in his possession a Burlington and Bristol ferry ticket and four cards of "Our House, Olive's hotel, Baltimore, Maryland." He had a bundle of clean clothing and a travelling bag. We are thus particular in enumerating his effects, as by this means he may be identified by his

NEW PAPER AT WASHINGTON .- Contrary to our custom, we publish the prospectus of the Metropolitan, a new paper to be issued on the first of July, in Washington city, by Lucien Lasselle, and to be edited by Mrs. Nancy P. Lasselle. Mrs. Lasselle is a daughter of the late Judge William Polke; a native of Indiana, and a literary writer of growing reputation. Should any of our friends desire to subscribe for an eastern literary journal, we can cordially recommend the Metropolitan.—Ia. Sentinel.

THE EXTRADITION CASE.—At New York on Saturday, before the U. S. Commissioner, Ste-phen Walsh, an Irishman, and eight others, principally Irish, were charged with robbing corporal in the British army at St. John, N. B. of a quantity of fire-arms and accourrements, the property of Queen Victoria. The charge is made under the Ashburton treaty by the British Consul at New York, at the instance of Sir Henry L. Bulwer. The accused all deserted from the British army at St. John at one time, having tied and gagged the corporal to prevent his giving the alarm. They got off safely, and had crossed the frontier of Maine when they were taken before a magistrate at Machias, on arge of larceny, wh recognised for extradition under the treaty, they were discharged. Walsh immediately took measures to become an American citizen, and enlisted in the U.S. army. He was stationed at Bedlow's Island, where he was arrested. with ingenuity and ability. He contended that the corporal was drunk when the men deserted but that he knew beforehand of it, and connived at it in this way. The arms were only those they had with them. The case was held under ad visement.

Some of the ladies prefer the Grecian or Persian costume to the Turkish. We do not like to meddle with such things, but we have heard of ladies who would not be out of character if they appeared in the Tartar costume.

The Phil. Evening Bulletin is responsible!

DEATH OF A WELL-KNOWN BALTIMOREAN. The Patriot of yesterday afternoon says:

"We have again a painful task to perform in announcing the death of Thomas D. Johnston. esq., who died suddenly this morning at his residence in South Howard street, with cramp in the stomach. We heard of his death about one o'clock, and it was only two hours before that we saw him get out of his carriage in front of our office, apparently as well as usual.

"Mr. Johnston was one of the founders of the banking house of Johnston & Lee, but retired from it several years ago, when an attack of paralysis prevented him from taking an ac-tive part in business. He retired with an ample fortune, and has ever been one of the most en-terprising of our citizens. His death will be deeply lamented by a large body of friends, to whom his excellent qualities as a man and a citizen had endeared him."

AN OLD ADAGE PALSIFIED .- The saying that you cannot make a silk purse of a sow's ear is almost falsified by a juggler named Bosco, in London, who will stand in an isolated position before his audience, holding a Guinea pig in his hand, which he crushes by degrees, the pig and his squeal growing beautifully less, until nothing remains but a silk purse filled with guineas. Where the pig goes to, and how the guineas appear in its place, while the conjurer stands in a tight dress, with no visible connexion with any thing but the floor, is the wonder.

The Boston Post perpetrates the following epigram on George Thompson, under the title "Monsieur Tonson gone again:"

In Thompson's departure
His duty is clear;
For they need him at home,
And we don't need him here!

HERALDRY .- A coat of arms for a rogue : Two posts standant:
One beam crossent:
One rope pendant:
And a man on the end on't.

Iowa has but three inhabitants to a square

FOUND DEAD .- The body of a man named ters have been received in this city from the Charles Lucas was found about 1 o'clock this Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance of afternoon, in a stable, on 7th street, between Pennsylvania, stating that the stone to be by L and M. The verdict of the coroner had not been rendered at the time of our paper's going tion

> TEXAS .- A portion of the Democratic candidates for Congress in Eastern Texas, (first Congressional district, submitted their claims to a district convention, which resulted in the nomination of Hon. R. Scurry. Hon. W. B. Ochiltree (Whig) still remains in the field, and also three of the Democratic Independent candidates, Hon. O. M. Roberts, Gen. N. H. Darnell, and Col. B. Rush Wallace. The contest is waxing warmer than ever.

A SOUTHERN CONGRESS .- October 13th has been designated by the Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Navy of South Carolina, Gov. Means, for the election of the deputies from each Cougressional district, to represent South Carolina in the Southern Congress, to be held in Montgomery, Ala., some time in 1852. Several delegates at large were chosen by the last South Carolina Legislature to this Congress, and it is said they are for pressing the nomination of James Buchanan as a candidate for Presi

HEART-RENDING ACCIDENT .- On the 11t ultimo, as a number of men were engaged at hay-making upon the farm of Mr. Daniel Schnei-der, near Rehrersburg, and while they were mowing across a ditch, the youngest daughter of Mr. Schneider sprang forward, unobserved, from behind, and was pierced to the heart by her brother's scythe. She lived only fifteen minutes after the sad occurrence. The grief of her parents, and brother in particular, by whose hand she was thus suddenly deprived of life, was deep and heart-rending. The child was the fourth year of her age.—Reading Gazette. The child was in

Review of the Northern Markets for

Office of the American Telegraph, July 1. Baltimore, June 30, 5 p. m .- Sales of 400 barrels How

ard street flour at \$4.12½.

Also a sale of 200 barrels of city mills flour at \$4.18¾. The American says: "The offerings of beeves at the scales to-day reached 500 head, of which number 460 were sold to city butchers, 100 were left over unsold, and 240 were driven to Philadelphia. Prices ranged from \$2.50 to \$3.25 on the hoof, equal to \$5@\$6.25, and averaging \$2.87½ gross."

Sales of corn at 62c, for white, and 60c, for yellow. Oats are quoted at 35@38c.

A sale of Pennsylvania rye at 72c.

PHILADELPHIA, June 30, 6 p. m.—Sales of 300 bbls. flour mmon standard brands, at \$4.25; choice, \$4.37; extra-\$4.68. Corn meal, \$2.87. Rye flour, \$3.37. Small sales of red wheat at 90c.; white do. 98@102

Corn selling at 62c. for yellow; white 63c. Oats 43@44c Small sales Rio coffee at 83/4@91/4c. Rice 31/4@31/4c.

NEW YORK, June 30, 6 p. m .- U S 6's of 1867 have de ined ¼ per cent. on Saturday's prices. Canton, 73; Pe 5's, 94. Sterling exchange firm at 101/2@105/4 prem. There is a better feeling in the flour market, re tending upwards. Sales of 12,000 bbls. at \$4.1834 to \$4.25 for Ohio; Genesee, \$4.183/4 to \$4.31; Southern, \$4.316 \$4.50; Common State, \$3.94@\$4.06 to \$4.1234. Corn meal \$2.87@\$2.94. Rye flour, \$3.44.

Genesee wheat is held at 115c.; Ohio red, 100c.
Sales of 30,000 bushels mixed corn 62, and round ye ow 64c. Oats 44@46c. Rve 71c.

New mess pork \$14.50@\$14.62. Lard 83/@9c. in bbls Rio coffee 81/4@91/4c. Rice 31/4@31/4c. Whisky 24@241/4c. in barrels.

Arrivals at the Principal Hotels.

United States-E Clark, Philadelphia; C L West o.: C C Magruder and daughter, and Miss Hill, Maryland B Taylor, New York; J A Sabbaton, Philadelphia; John O Van Koenig, do.; C T Catlin, do.; W Wilson, Trinidad, W. I.; R B Stephenson, Virginia; F C Dunnington, Boston; J Forbes, Havana; E Borcon, do.; R J Morris, New R A Weaver, Virginia; Mrs Evans, servant and two children, Philadelphia; G Anderson and son, New Jersey; J Dawes, Maryland; W H Dans, Camden; J Battin, N. J.

2. M. P. King, (Grocer,) corner 15th and 1st streets nearly opposite the President's House, will receive the names and address of persons desiring to be served with the American Telegraph.

On Thursday morning, 26th ultimo, by the Rev. M EDWARDS, EDWARD HALL to Miss SUSAN LOWNDE daughter of Wm. B. Jackson, esq., all of this city.

DIED, On Friday, the 27th ultime, ELEANOR JANE BE-DINGFELD, aged 18 months and 10 days, infant daughter

O. BEDINGFELD QUEEN (now in California) QUEEN. QUEEN.

No father's eye beheld thine angel soul
Spring into life; no father's care was thine
To stay its onward flight to that bless'd goal
'Twas destin'd for in God's all-wise design.
Thy form for one brief moment breath'd on earth,
Though not for earth was the pure spirit given
By Him who gives to countless millions birth,
To swell the everlasting choirs of heaven.

This morning, of congestive intermittent, WILLIAM MARION, son of WILLIAM Q. and ELIZABETH A. FORCE, aged six months.

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The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral to-morrow at 10 o'clock a. m. On Sunday evening, 29th ult., of congestion of the brain, MARY LINCOLN, eldest and only daughter of J JAMES and MARY F. GREENOUGH.

43 The Union Literary Society will hold its next stated meeting at the Medical College, corner of Twelfth & F streets, at eight o'clock this (Tuesday) even ing. The exercises will be commemorative of the approaching national anniversary. The public are respectfully invited to attend.

July 1—1t

C. S. KEECH, Secretary.

VERBY, the Dry Goods Man, is now closing off his stock at cost. Persons who wish ve-argains should call early. See advertisement i

FOR SALE.—A very excellent FAMILY HORSE with Harness and Carriage, will be exchanged for July 1—21* her property. ROSETTES will be made for the different Societies
for the Fourth of July next, at short notice, at Mrs.
MOFFETT'S, 7th street, opposite Odd-Fellows' Hall.

AT PUBLIC SALE.

A FINE MARE, eight years old, moves well under saddle or in harness; with new Saddle, Bridle and Martingale; if not sold previously at private sale, will be offered at auction on years and the same of the PIANOS! PIANOS!

NEW AND SECOND-HAND PIANOS always on hand, for sale and to rent on moderate terms, at the Piano Store, on 12th street, above F street.

New MUSIC STOOLS for sale.

jy 1—d3m*

F. C. REICHENBACH. LE COURRIER DES ETATS-UNIS,

(THE UNITED STATES COURIER,)

Office 73 Franklin Street, near Broadway, New York.

This French Newspaper is now issued daily. Terms of
the Daily, \$8.

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THE COURRIER DES ETATS-UNIS gives now in full the trial of H. De Bocarme and Wife, which is going on in Belgium, and creating an extraordinary sensation throughout Europe.

A few copies of the numbers containing the report can be had at the office. Four cents a number.

The complete report will also appear in a pamphlet form in the Weekly edition of the Courrier des Elate-Unis, the first number of which was issued on Saturday, the 28th ultimo.

Itimo.
Terms of the Weekly \$3 a year—single copies 6 cents.
A liberal discount to clubs, agents and publishers.

CHEAP GOODS-JULY 1st, 1851.

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Soummence this day to run off our entire stock at cost, comprising a general assortment of foreign and domestic Dry Goods. Fersons buying for the cash will please call and axamine for themselves, to be convinced that we are offering the greatest bargains that have ever been exhibited in Washington. It is useless to enumerate what we have on hand, and suffice it to say that we have a large stock and cheap, and that it must be sold. A large lot of Bareges at 20 cents, worth 37½ cents; Lawns 12½ cents, worth 25 cents; fine Shirtings 6½ cents, worth 10 cents; and hundreds of other bargains equally cheap.

G. W. YERBY,

jy 1—odim Pa av, between 7th and 8th street

The Carrier will at times leave single numbers of this paper with persons whom he hopes to enter upon his list. He will call for a response to the request made in

must be paid for in this paper; but church notices and deaths are charged only half price, viz: twelve and a half cents for six lines

By Mr. C. W. Buckingham, the well-known Cigar and Tobacco Dealer, under Gadsby's Hotel, is pre-paring a Mammoth Cigar, which is intended to be placed n the corner-stone of the Capitol Extension on the

&s Metropolis Building Association. The regular monthly meeting of this Association will be held at Temperance Hall, E street, on Wednesday evening, the 2d instant, at 8 o'clock. T. M. HANSON, June 30—2t [Nat. Int. 2t] Secretary

FAMILY GROCERIES.

Z. M. P. KING. Cor. 15th and let sts., nearly opposite the President's House,
Dealer in FINE TEAS, of every description; all rare
and choice articles pertaining to a First-Class
Family Grocery and Variety Store.

HERRINGS.—400 barrels No. 1 Potomac Herrings for sale by
PHILIP OTTERBACK, Jr.,
June 30—2w* near the Navy Yard Bridge.

TAYLOR & MAURY, Booksellers and Stationers, Pennsylvania avenue, near 9th street, have constantly on hand a full assortment of BLANK BOOKS, SCHOOL BOOKS, PENS, INK, and variety, for sale at New York prices. June 28—tf

PISCOPAL Prayer-books. Catholic Prayer-books.
Methodist Hymn-books
Unitarian Hymn-books.
Presbyterian Hymn-books.
Baptist Hymn-books. In every variety.
For sale at the published price, by
TAYLOR & MAURY,
Booksellers, near 9th street

A LL of Harper & Brothers' Publications.
All of Appleton's Publications.
All of Putnam's Publications,
Little & Brown's, Boston; and all books published
the United States. he United States.
For sale at the publishers' prices by
TAYLOR & MAURY,

RULED LETTER PAPER at \$1 25 a resm.
Ruled Foolscap Writing Paper at \$1 25 Taylor & Martin Fapin at \$1 25 a ream.

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Good Envelopes at \$1, \$1 25, and \$1 50 a thousand.

Steel Pens at 25 cents, 50 cents, and 75 cents a gross.

Small Wrapping Paper at 25 cents a ream.

For sale at TAYLOR & MAURY'S

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James A. Rateliff,] [D. S. Waters,
Thankful for past favors, which have been very
flattering, would still solicit the same business from
Micrchants, Mechanics, and others, abroad as well as at
home, in the way of collecting debts, serving of warrants
and executions, taking charge of property, or transacting
any business whatsoever, in an official line: for which we
pledge ourselves and our honors to fulfil, with integrity,
in the most expeditious and satisfactory manner to all
parties concerned. Office on D street, immediately in the rear of the resi-

ence of Mayor Lenox, near the corner of 6th street. June 28—3t O ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. I have on hand a very handsome assortment of those superior fitting SHIRTS so much rought for. Also, a beautiful lot of Gauze, Merino, Cotton, and Silk Undershirts, for summer wear. A large stock of Linen and Cotton Drawers, of all sizes, for sale at C. H. LANE'S Gentlemen's New Shirt and Furnishing Store, Pennsylvania avenue, between 4½ and 6th streets. All orders promptly attended to.

A. HATCH, Jr.

DEALER in White Lead, boiled and raw; Linseed Oil; Coach, Copal and Japan Varnishes; Window Glass; Brushes; Camphine, Lard, & Ethereal Oil Lamps; Globes; Glasses, Wicks, &c.

Also, Agent for Branan's Patent Composition for Paint, warranted impervious to weather.

June 26—1w Pa. avenue, between 6th and 7th sts.

POARDING.—Mrs. Holmead, Pennsylvania ave-modate severai Boarders. Her Rooms are well furnished, large and airy. CHEAPER THAN EVER FOR CASH!

NOT only Boots, but Shors, SLIPPERS and GAITERS Not for Ladies alone, but for Gentlemen, Boys an Children. Not to fit or suit one, but all who may give call at P. EMRICH'S Boot and Shoe Store, on 7th street opposite Latham's Banking-House. June 27—4t*

WORTH KNOWING! THOSE who wish a permanent place to procure the best BOOTS and SHOES, plain or fashionable, would do well to call at JANNEY'S, Eighth street, near the General Post Office.

June 26—1m

FOR LADIES ONLY!

ADIES going to the Springs and Watering-places will find at our Establishment a large assortment of loods adapted to their uses. This day opened—30 pieces black Silk Laces, all widths and prices 12 dozen twisted Silk Mitts
10 do Alexander's Silk Gloves, all colors
10 do Raw Silk Gloves
25 do Lisle Thread Gloves, all prices
4 cartoons white and colored Kid Gloves
2 pieces white Gro de Nap Silk, for visites and scarfs
2 boxes Swiss Edge and Insertion
30 pieces Lace and Muslin Undersleeves
10 dozen plain and embroidered Handkerchiefs, Linen

Cambric and Clear Lawn
Also on hand a good stock of Barege Tissues, plain and
mbroidered, white and colored Swisses, Lawns, Jackoembroidered, white and colored Swisses, Lawns, Jackonets, Brillanteens, Foulard Silk, striped, checkered and
plain Silk, with a variety of other useful and cheap goods,
which will be sold at a very low price for the cash only.

G. W. YERBY,

June 28—edIm

Pa av, bet. 7th and 8th sts.

Attention, Chewers and Smokers! DOWNER'S popular Oigar and Tobacco stand is well supplied with the best Havanas and Principes. Also a splendid lot of Chewing Tobacco, to which he extends a cordial invitation to his friends and to gentlemen of taste generally.

DALM-LEAF Fans for 4 Cents .- Spanis rices.
Also—Worked Collars, Laces, Insertings, Net Mitts, &c.
At Mrs. E. COLLISON'S Millinery & Fancy Store,
June 24—tr 7th street, & above H.

IVERY AND HIRING STABLES.—The IVERY AND HIRING STABLES.—The undersigned respectfully makes known to the Public that he has established himself on G, between 17th and 18th streets, near the War Department. Having a commodious and neat stable, with trusty attendants, horses to hire are received on livery on reasonable terms. As he intends devoting his personal attention to the business, he hopes to receive a share of patronage.

June 27—eolw

MRS. E. MOFFETT has received this day from Philadelphia, a beautiful assortment of Ladies' Dress Caps, including the latest styles of Opera and full Caps; and to which she invites the attention of the Ladies. Also, Ladies' Black Net Gloves, rich Lace Capes, Under Sleeves, &c. Children's Black Mitts, Gloves, Hosiery, &c. A full assortment of goods in general for Ladies. Also, Pocket-handkerchiefs, Cravats, Shirts Suspenders, Gloves, Hosiery, Port Monnaies, Soaps, and a great variety of miscellaneous articles for Gentlemen All of which will be sold low for cash.

Seventh street, opp. Odd-Fellows' Hall. FARMERS' HOTEL, Rockville, Montgomery County, Maryland.

The subscriber can accommodate thirty or forty boarders during the Summer and Fall. The village is perfectly healthy, with fine water.

June 24—tAugl F. KIDWELL.

FOR SCHOOL MISSES. POR SCHOOL MISSES.

RIBBONS FOR SASHES, for the 4th of July celebration. White HOODS, Gloves, Mitts, Wreaths, Neck Combs, Belta, Rosettes, Flowers, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, &c., at Mrs. E. COLLISON'S Fancy Store, June 24—tr 7th street, & above H.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

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A very convenient and comfortable two-story and basement BRICK HOUSE, recently put in complete repair, on K street, near Pennsylvania avenue, and three houses west of the large house formerly occupied by Mr. Fox, the late British Minister. It has attached a very landsome side lot, set with choice Fruit Trees. Apply to P. Berry, Water street, Georgetown, or Thomas Berry, at the east wing of the Patent Office.

June 24—tf

TAVERN STAND FOR RENT,

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Ninth street, opposite the Centre Murket.

THE subscriber, not being able to attend to his sand business, and to give that attention to his Tavern he would like, has concluded to rent his house, which contains two parlors, seven bed-rooms, dining-room, kitchen, and stable; together with the bar-room, which is handsomely arranged, with all necessary fixtures. The location is as good for the business as any in town, and a competent person who will give it his undivided attention can make money. Rent moderate, and possession given immediately.

June 14—tf

Patent Slides, Cane, Hazel, &c. Lines—Furnished Lines, Grass Lines, &c. Hooks—Limerick, Kirby, Front Flies, &c. A. GRAY, Bookseller, June 17—cotf 7th street, opposite Odd-Fellows' Hall.

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P VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias, issued by Thomas C. Donn, esq., one of the juntices of the peace in and for the county of Washington, District of Columbia, at the suit of John F. May, against the goods and chattels of Julia Simms, to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution ali the right, title and interest of the said Julia Simms in and to two tables, one washstand, bowl, and pitcher; eight pictures, in frames; one candlestick, one looking-glass, a lot of carpeting, six pieces of wood-ware, four pieces of iron-ware, two flat-irons, one pair of tongs, one coffee-mill, one pair of andirons, four pieces of tin-ware, and one stove.

And I hereby give notice, that on the 5th day of July, 1881, at 9 o'clock, a. m., in front of the Centre Markethouse, in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, I will offer for sale the said goods and chattels, so seized and taken in execution, to the highest bidder; for cash.

Washington, June 28, 1851. His Express Wagon will deliver goods free of charge.

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Notice of two writs of fieri facias, issued by Thomas C. Donn and James Crandell, Justices of the Peace in and for the county of Washington, District of Columbia, at the suits of J. W. Bergenhausen, against the goods and chattels of Ferdinand Perpignon, to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest of the said Ferdinand Perpignon, in and to one Mahogany Bureau and Glass, one Table and Cover, six Cane-seat Chairs, one Lounge, one Waiter, one Clock, one Stove and a lot of Carpeting.

And I hereby give notice that on the 5th day of July, 1851, at 9 o'clock a. m., in front of the Centre Markethouse, in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, I will offer for sale the said goods and chattels, so seized and taken in execution, to the highest bidder, for cash.

H. R. MARYMAN, Constable.

WASHINGTON, June 28, 1851. June 28—eod3t

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BY virtue of an order of distrain for house-rent due to James Fitzgerald by John Waters, ir., I will expose at public sale on the 5th day of July, 1801, at 9 o'clock a. m., in front of the Centre Market-house, City of Washington, District of Columbia, for cash, the following goods and chattels, to wit: One Mahogany Bureau and Ghass, one Gun, Powder-horn and Shot-bag, one high-posted Bedstead, one Stove, one Bedstead, one Table, one Safe, one Looking-glass, one Bed, one Mattress, one Washstand, a lot of Carpeting, eight Pictures in Frames, nine Chairs, two Baskets, a lot of Crockery-ware, two mantel ornaments, one Quili, one Blanket, one pair of Brass Andirons, two Curtains, one Axe, one Trunk, one Tub, one Rocking-chair, a lot of Feathers, two Blankets and a lot of Glass-ware.

June 28—cod3t

WE would most respectfully notify all persons having accounts with us, that, according to custom, their respective bills will be rendered in full to the 1st of July; and we sincerely hope that all will be prepared to make an early settlement, without being called upon again, as it is important that every account on our books should be settled. We have on hand a well-selected stock of Goods, which we are closing at reduced prices for case. which we are closing at reduced prices for CASH.

McLAIN & HARRY, June 25—d1w

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC are invited to call and examine a splendid Camp and Travelling Chest, for sale at the store of Keyworth, Lewis & Co. The box contains more than twenty pieces of Silver Plate, suitable for officers or families. The case and its contents are Paris made, and the silver of sterling firmness and lined with gold.

KEYWORTH, LEWIS & CO.

N. B. Just received a new stock of Watches, Jewelry, and Fancy articles. Also a splendid assortment of Cuff-Pins.

June 26—3tecd* NOTICE.

Pins.

A CARD.

THE subscribers respectfully notify those persons having accounts with them that, according to the usual custom, their respective bills will be rendered in full to the 25th of the present month.

They earnestly hope that all will be prepared to make an early settlement, as it is indispensably necessary that every account on our books be paid at maturity, in order that we may the better be enabled to conduct the business successfully, and, if possible, more advantageously to those of our citizens who have so liberally patronized our house since the organization of the present firm.

CLAGETT, NEWTON, MAY & CO.

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E. EDMONSTON.

June 24—6teod

AT ANY PRICE!

OUR stock of Summer Goods will be closed out at an immense sacrifice, to enable us to close our business J. GALLIGAN & SON, June 21—tf Pa av, one door east of 7

SUPERIOR DAGUERREOTYPES—lat Premium! J. H. WHITEHURST has extended the field of his op-erations over more ground than any daguerre-typist in the country. His Galleries may be found on Pennsylvania avenue, between 4 1/4 and 6th streets; No. Pennsylvania avenue, between 4½ and 6th streets; 207 Baltimore street, Baltimore; corner Broadway Leonard street, New York; No. 77 Main street, Richm eet, Petersburg; Main street, I His beautiful and highly finished electro-Daguerr

this beautiful and nightly mished electro-baguerrectypes are an extraordinary improvement, insuring faithful and highly finished likenesses in a few seconds.

J. H. W. calls the attention of the public generally to his elegantly furnished Gallery over Lane and Tucker's new store, where a free exhibition of pictures will be given.

Notwithstanding the unusual competition in Daguerreotypes at the recent fair of the Maryland Institute, he
was awarded the first medal by the judges.

Likenesses of every description copied, and post-mortem
cases attended to.

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SHIRTS! SHIRTS! SHIRTS! SHIRTS!

WALL'S, Penn. avenue, between 9th and 10th streets.

**** Observe the Red Avaning Posts.****

I HAVE on hand one of the largest and most complete assortments of SHIRTS ever offered in the District. Linen is an article indispensable for comfort and cleanliness, and a large and complete stock has been much wanted—which can now be found, suited to every taste, from 3714 cents to \$5.

om 37 1/4 cents to \$5.
Fine French Yoked Shirts, corded and plain; fine ack, etc. Fine Linen and Fancy Shirts, of superior style and All shirts measured, and warranted to fit, or may be

est styles, Silk and Merino Socks, Scarfs, Handkerchiefs, ic., &c. WM. WALL. Also, at my store, three doors east of the National Ho-A New and Beautiful Style of Painting! A New and Beautiful Style of Painting!

THE undersigned have the pleasure of announcing to their customers, and the Public generally, that they are now successfully using that new, beautiful and durable article, but lately introduced into this city—the Zinc Paint from the Sussex Mines, N. J., which far surpasses, in beauty of finish and durability, the best of white leads. All disagreeable and poisonous effects, common to other Paints, are by this avoided. We would respectfully refer those who wish to be better informed of its merits before having their houses painted, to—

Com. C. W. Skinner, Com. Jos. Smith, J. Lathrop, esq., Navy Agent, Major W. Reilly, and Thos. Rateliffe, esq.

D. FINCH & SON, cor. of E and 12th sts.

N. B. All shades of different colors made from this article.

June 17—tf

ART UNION OF PHILADELPHIA. LVERY member, for the year 1861, will receive for each subscription of \$5 a print of Huntington's "Christiana and her Children," and the companion, a print of Huntington's "Mercy's Bream," or the choice of any two of the following four splendid engravings, viz:

1. John Knox's Interviews with Mary, Queen of Scots,

2. Ruth and Boaz, by Rothermel.

3. Christians and her Children.

4. Mercy's Dream.

And a copy of the Philadelphia Art Union Reporter.

The Art Union of Philadelphia awards prizes in its own certificates, with which original American works of Art may be purchased in any part of the United States, at the option and selection of the person who may obtain a prize at the annual distribution.

A copy of the engraving of "Mercy's Dream" can be seen on application to

M. GANGEWER, Honorary Secretary, who will give receipts for subscriptions.

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JAS. F. HARVEY, Undertaker, Seventh street, between G and H streets.

Seventh street, occurrent to and it streets,

WOULD respectfully return his thanks

would be surrounding country, for their past patronage, and would inform them that he is fully prepared to fill all orders for Funerals at the shortest notice. He would respectfully say that he has taken considerable pains to provide himself with all manner of conveniences for an Undertaker. His mode of preserving bodies in the warm never failed to give the utmost satisfaction

As He keeps constantly on hand a large supply of eady-made COFFINS, of all sizes.

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